



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Richard G. MIDDLETON

Confirmation No.: 3772

Application No.: 10/802,060

Group Art Unit: 1751

Filing Date: March 16, 2004

Examiner: Necholus Ogden, Jr.

For: METHOD FOR CLEANING TEXTILE
ABSORBERS

Attorney Docket No.: 105124-4000

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2005, entry of the following amendments and comments into the file of the above-identified application is respectfully requested. Please note that the Attorney Docket No. for this application has been changed to **105124-4000** and that PTO correspondence should be directed to Customer No. **28765**.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION begin of page 2 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS begin on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 8 of this paper.

An Amendment Fee Transmittal, with provision for the required fees, is submitted herewith to provide payment for the additional 1 independent claim and additional 5 total claims.

No fees are believed to be due with the present submission. Should any fees be due, however please charge such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

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02 FC:2201 100.00 DA